

**MOTION BY SUPERVISOR YVONNE B. BURKE**

**SEPTEMBER 23, 2008**

National "Employ Older Workers Week" has been observed in California since 1959 and is celebrated throughout the nation during the last full week of September. During this week, it is important to highlight the importance of recognizing the talents of this population.

Older workers are valued for having a good work ethic and for providing experience, knowledge and dependability in the workplace.

**I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** proclaim September 21-27, 2008 as "Employ Older Workers Week" in the County of Los Angeles and encourage employers to include older workers as a part of their workforce; and, encourage older workers to participate in the local celebration events.

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